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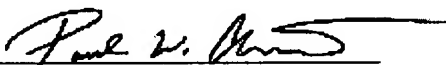
Applicant has amended the specification and claims 12 and 14 to address formal matters. It is respectfully submitted that these amendments do not introduce new matter. Applicants also note that claims 12 and 13 as presented in Applicants' last response included inadvertent typographical errors from the originally presented versions of those claims. In the above listing of the claims, those inadvertent errors have been corrected to reflect the language of claims 12 and 13 as originally presented. Specifically, claim 12 has been corrected to recite "of p-channel type" and claim 13 has been corrected to recite "MOSFETs." These corrections are not shown as amendments as the errors being corrected were merely typographical errors in the previous listing of the claims that were not present in claims 12 and 13 as originally presented.

Based on the foregoing, the claims are allowable without further search or consideration, and entry of the amendments is appropriate under 37 C.F.R. § 312. Applicants respectfully request such entry and issuance of the patent. If the Examiner has any questions regarding this amendment, he may contact Applicants' undersigned representative at (360) 930-3533.

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